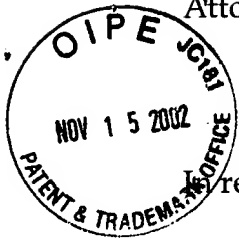


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REQUEST TO WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEYS

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.36 and 10.40, the attorneys of record listed below, on whose behalf the undersigned attorney has signed this request, respectfully request permission to withdraw as attorneys of record in the above-referenced patent application per the request of Mindport USA.

XX There is currently no outstanding official action known to the undersigned attorney dated prior to the date of this Request to Withdraw for which a response is now due to be filed.

___ There is an outstanding term for response to an official action that is set to expire _____. The above term is extendible under 37 § C.F.R. 1.136(a), until _____.

___ The client has been notified of the official action and of the deadline to respond to the official action.

_____ A response to the outstanding official action is attached.

_____ A petition for extension of time is attached and the fees for the extension are/are not submitted.

We respectfully request that all future correspondence regarding this application be addressed to:

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A copy of this request is being sent to Mindport USA, at the last-known address. This Request to Withdraw is being submitted in triplicate.

If there are any additional charges, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted,
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